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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : James A. Krom et al.
For : REACTION PRODUCT DERIVED FROM
AMINE-FUNCTIONALIZED
ELASTOMERS AND MALEATED
POLYOLEFINS
Serial No. : 09/097,035
Filed : June 12, 1998
Final Office Action : June 16, 2000
Examiner : D. R. Wilson
Art Unit : 1713
Attorney Docket No. : 9608042/FIR 2 0007
Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2518
October 2, 2000

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington D. C. 20231

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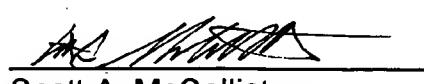
The initial period for response to the outstanding Official Action, issued on June 16, 2000, expired on September 16, 2000. However, in response to Applicants first amendment after final, the Examiner reset the three-month period to expire on the mailing date of the Advisory Action (August 30, 2000).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136 petition is hereby made for a one-month extension of time up to and including September 30, 2000 in which to respond to the Official Action. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee is enclosed herewith.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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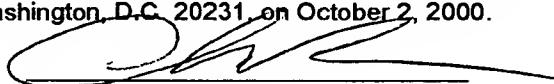
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